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In re Appln. of: Naoki Muramatsu et al.

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For: COMMUNICATION TERMINAL HAVING A
FUNCTION TO INHIBIT CONNECTION TO
A PARTICULAR SITE AND A PROGRAM
THEREOF

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SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Forms PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

The references now cited are the following:

Non-Patent Literature

Kawai Yasuhiro, "Prevent Unauthorized Access by Individual PCs", NIKKEI
INTERNET TECHNOLOGY, Japan, Nikkei Business Publications, Inc.,
June 22, 2006, No. 36, pgs. 14-16.

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.97(g),(h), this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made and

is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56(b).

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.97(e)(1), Applicant states that each item of information contained in this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. A copy of an Office Action issued in corresponding Japanese Application No. 2004-528897, and a translation thereof, are also enclosed.

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.97(d), this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing date of a final action under 37 CFR § 1.113 but before the payment of the issue fee, therefore an electronic patent application fee payment in the amount of \$180.00 is also submitted herewith. No additional fees are believed to be due in connection with filing of this Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these materials, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

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